

Mum gocuklar Children of wax



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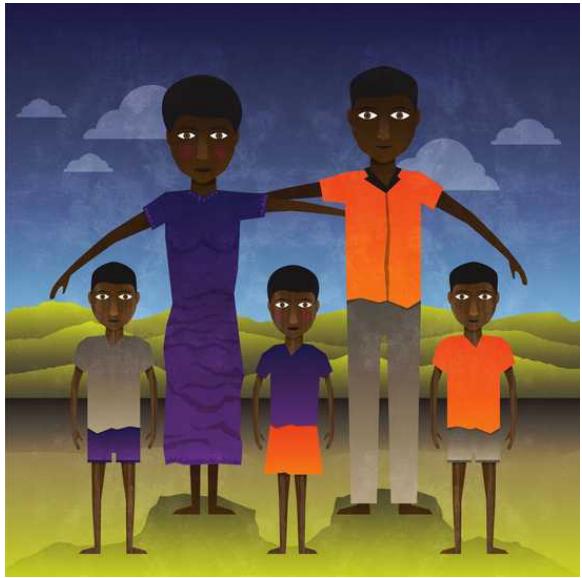


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Bir zamanlar çok mutlu bir aile varmış.

...

Once upon a time, there lived a happy family.

They never fought with each other. They helped their parents at home and in the fields.

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Çocuklar hıg kavga etmezler anne babalarına evde ve tarlada yardım ederlermiş.





Ama ateşe yaklaşmaları yasakmış.

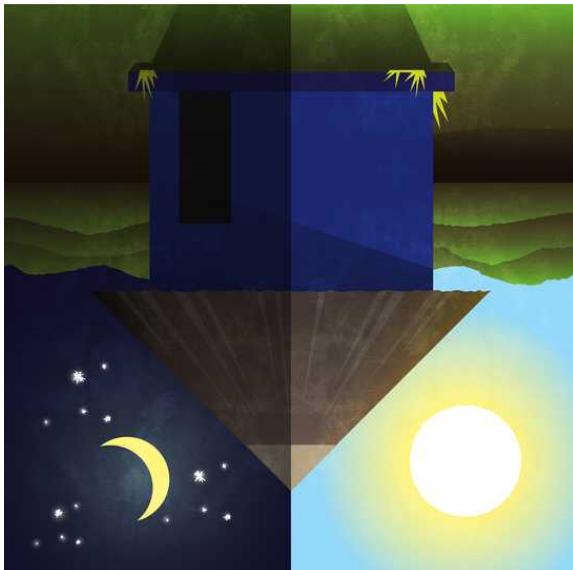
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But they were not allowed to go near a fire.

They had to do all their work during the night.
Because they were made of wax!

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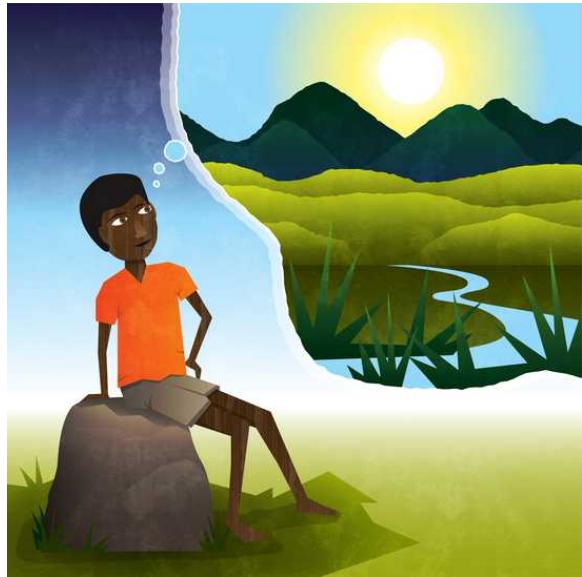
Bütün ışleri gece yapmak zorundayımlılar.
Günükü hepsi mumdan yapılımış.



And as the sun rose, he flew away singing into
the morning light.
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Ve güneler yükselmeye başladığında kus sabah
ışığındı güzeli güzeli öterek uzaklara doğrular
uçmuş.

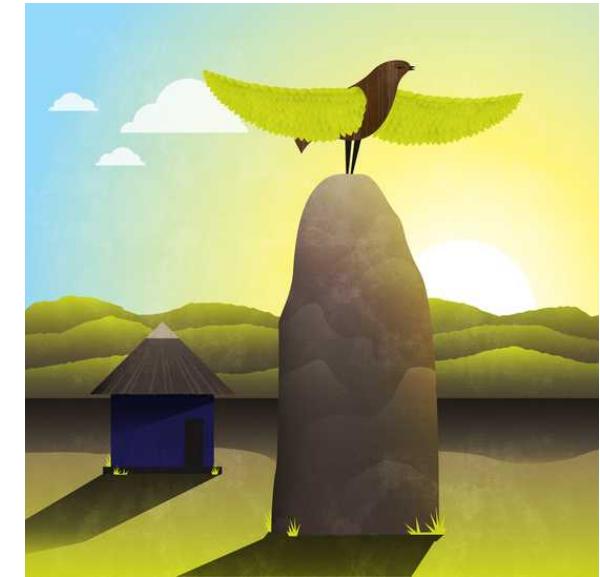




Ancak çocuklardan biri hep güneşe çıkmayı
hayal edermiş.

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But one of the boys longed to go out in the
sunlight.

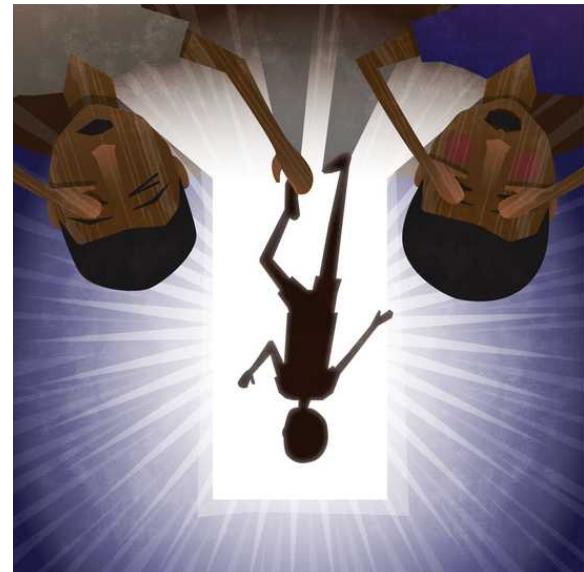


Kuş biçimindeki kardeşlerini alıp yüksek bir
dağa çıkarmışlar.

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They took their bird brother up to a high
mountain.

One day the longing was too strong. His brothers warned him...
...



Nitekim sonunda bir gün dayanamamış.
Kardeşleri onu uyarmışlar.

But they made a plan. They shaped the lump of
melted wax into a bird.

...

Ama bir plan yapmışlar. Eriyen muumu bir kuş
bığımına sokmuşlar.





Ama artık çok geçmiş. Çocuk sıcak güneşin altında eriyivermiş.

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But it was too late! He melted in the hot sun.



Diğer mum çocuklar kardeşleri eriyip yok olduğu için çok üzülmüşler.

...

The wax children were so sad to see their brother melting away.